

New Year's Eve 2043 In An Irish Pub

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*New Year's Eve, Year 2043, **TWO DRUNK OLD IRISHMEN** in a pub filled with **DRUNK IRISH PEOPLE**.*

*Though on the surface the **TWO DRUNK OLD IRISHMEN** are reminiscing and nostalgic in the most traditional manner of drunk old Irishmen on New Year's Eve as ever there were in an Irish pub, they have in fact "updated the act": in addition to the traditional talking too loud about how loose Betsy was many years ago at 20 at the dance by the old barn, etc., they also periodically start drunkenly singing very old (for year 2043) rock songs.*

However, their greatest variation on the tradition is that the obsessive focus of their conversation is past Facebook postings:

They continually try to remind each other of completely random Facebook postings they've made over the past 35 years, incredibly numerous, absurd, insignificant, etc., to say the least, neither one really successful in getting the other one to remember their postings, except, maybe, no, was that a photo of..... no, I guess I don't remember it. So the past 35 years are reviewed, much of which seeps in from the references to the postings, triggering heartfelt remembrances. Finally they both pass out while gradually remembering the same dirty viral Facebook posting, the specific nature of which seeming to have the effect of bringing them enormous gratification prior to passing out.

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